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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of :)
Carol J. Ansley)
Serial No.: 09/750,306) Group Art Unit: 2661
Filed: December 29, 2000) Examiner: To Be Assigned

For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR MULTIPLEXING BROADBAND SIGNALS

**REQUEST FOR PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME,
RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS AND
ASSIGNMENT FOR RECORDATION**

Attention: Box Missing Parts
Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

**REQUEST FOR PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(a)**

Applicant respectfully petitions the Assistant Commissioner for Patents for a one-month extension of time up to May 21, 2001 (May 20, 2001 being a Sunday), to respond to the Notice To File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application dated February 20, 2001.

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

Responsive to the attached U.S. Patent and Trademark Office "Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application" mailed February 20, 2001, Applicant submits herewith an executed Sole Declaration and five (5) sheets of Formal Drawings for filing in the cited patent application, along with the required fee for late filing of the Declaration. Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that a filing date of December 29, 2000 be granted to this application.



ASSIGNMENT FOR RECORDATION

Also enclosed is an executed Assignment document and Assignment Recordation cover sheet. The Assignment Recordation fee is included in the attached check.

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Submitted herewith is a check totaling \$280.00 (\$130.00 to cover the surcharge for late filing of the Declaration; \$110.00 to cover the fee for the one-month Extension of Time, and \$40.00 to cover the filing fee for the Assignment Recordation. Any deficiency in or overpayment of this fee should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 50-0206.

Respectfully submitted,

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